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- I, Joanna Ardalan, am an attorney and party to the above captioned action. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and if called to testify could and would testify as follows:
- 1. On October 30, 2024, the Court issued an order permitting plaintiffs to conduct early discovery by issuing subpoenas to two banks that received money from the victims of Defendants' fraud. (Dkt. 53.) As explained in Plaintiffs' ex parte application for the order granting early discovery, Law Integral and Deputy Trademark received money from Jarrod Cruzat, a victim of the fraud, who wired the money to an account with JP Morgan Chase ("JP Morgan Account") and an account with Community Federal Savings Account. Plaintiffs issued the subpoena with a deadline of December 13, 2024 to JP Morgan Chase. (Dkt. 51.)
- 2. JP Morgan represented that it could not produce documents by December 13, 2024 and requested and received an extension to December 27, 2024. The other bank, Community Federal Savings Bank, has not yet produced documents. I have sent them correspondence in an attempt to meet and confer with them about their production.
- 3. On December 27, 2024, JP Morgan produced documents showing that Binotech LLC received money from the JP Morgan Account. These documents directly impeach the declarations and representations filed by Defendants. E.g., Hamza Khan Declaration 54-3, ¶ 5 ("I received no money from anyone associated with or who claimed to be associated with Joanna Ardalan."). Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct redacted copy of a spreadsheet I received from JP Morgan showing the wires to and from the JP Morgan Account. Significantly, Binotech, LLC, which is one of the Defendants that seeks to set aside default is a "credit party" to at least six transactions. See Credit Party 2: line 120, \$500 (page 67), line 136, \$475 (page 68), line 138, \$500 (page 68), line 150, \$240 (page 68), line 156, \$1,427 (page 168), line 165, \$195 (page 69). The address listed in the records as associated with Binotech is 2172 Lucy Lane, York, Pennsylvania 17404, which

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